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Applicant : Michael Kraus, et al.
Application No. : 09/603,834
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Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DATA
TRANSMISSION BETWEEN AN
ELECTROMEDICAL IMPLANT AND AN
EXTERNAL APPARATUS

Grp./Div. : 3762
Examiner : Frances P. Oropeza

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Commissioner:

In response to the Office action of August 29, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend Claims 1, 2, 3, 18, 19, 21 and 22 to read as follows. Claims unchanged by this Amendment are included hereinbelow for the Examiner's reference convenience.

1. (twice amended) A method of data transmission between an
C1 electromedical implant having a first transmitter/receiver unit and